IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COUN FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

1 WM. H. MC GEE & COMPANY OF 2 PUERTO RICO, INC.,

3 Plaintiff,

v.

M/V PHOENIX SPIRIT, et al.,

6 Defendants.

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MINUTES OF SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE HELD ON JANUARY 16, 2001

At the Settlement Conference held on January 16, 2001 from 10:45 11

a.m. to 11:30 a.m. plaintiff was represented by CANDIDA R. NEGRON 12

RAMOS, ESQ. Defendant MARINE EXPRESS, INC. was represented by CARLOS 13

E. BAYRON, ESQ. 14

Settlement discussions were held. Upon securing approval from 15

their respective clients counsel agreed to settle this action for 16

\$3,000.00. The pertinent stipulation shall be filed no later than

18 January 19, 2001.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

San Juan, Puerto Rico, this day of January, 2001.

CIVIL NO. 98-1332 (RLA)

RAYMOND L. ACOSTA

United States District Judge

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